

Sports

Indians Equal Major League Homer Record

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Cleveland right-hander Pedro Ramos struck out 15 Los Angeles batters Wednesday and sacked two home runs in a 9-5 nightcap victory. The Indians won the opener from the Angels, 1-0.

Ramos hit his first homer in the third inning off loser Eli Grba and connected again in the sixth when the Indians tied the major league record by belting four consecutive homers of shellshocked Paul Foytack.

Woodie Held launched the barrage and Ramos, Tito Francona and Larry Brown followed with back-to-back blows that tied the mark set by Milwaukee's Ed Matthews, Hank Aaron, Joe Adcock and Frank Thomas on June 10, 1961.

Ramos went 8-13 innings Wednesday night before Gary Bell came on to preserve his fifth victory.

Whitfield Grand Slammed
Pedro was nicked for 11 hits, including homers by Lee Thomas and Leon Wagner, but the Indians hit six. Fred Whitfield connected for a grand slam in the third inning and his sixthinning homer in the opener broke open a scoreless duel between Barry Latman and Fred Newman.

The Yankees stayed eight games in front with a 3-2 win over the Athletics while the second place White Sox tripped the Senators, 5-2. The Orioles defeated the Tigers, 2-1, and the Twins downed the Red Sox, 9-5.

Tom Tresh's 18th homer with two out in the ninth inning settled matters between the Yankees and Athletics. Tresh's blow came off southpaw Ted Bowsfield and earned Ralph Terry his 12th victory with a five-hitter.

Herbert Won 10th

Jim Landis and Camilo Carre on collected three hits apiece for the White Sox as Ray Herbert gained his 10th victory by holding the Senators to seven hits in eight innings. Hoyt Wilhelm finished up. Don Zimmer homered for Washington.

Southpaw Steve Barber outduelled Frank Lary in Baltimore's victory over Detroit. Al Smith singled home the winning run in the first inning to hand Lary his fifth setback in six decisions. Barber, whose record now is 14-8, allowed six hits and the only run off him was an unearned.

The Twins bombed the Red Sox' prize relievers, Jack Lamabe and Dick Radatz, for five runs in the seventh inning to break a 4-all tie. Jimmie Hall's 14th homer with two on was the big blow during the rally after Bob Allison had hammered his 24th homer earlier in the contest. Dick Stuart hit his 23rd for the Red Sox and teammates Roman Mejias and Ed Bressoud also connected. Bill Pleis was the winning pitcher and Lamabe the loser.

Results Listed In Wildcat Tournaments

The Mantles and the Musials were McMillen's Kitty tournament winners, and the Lions and Bobcats were McMillen's Kat tournament winners, in games played Wednesday.

The Musials edged the Aarons, 2-1, behind the two-hit pitching of Bracey. Stevens tossed a three-hitter in defeat. The Mantles edged the Kalines by a 1-0 score, as Gray of the Mantles tossed a three-hitter shutout. Feasel allowed the Mantles only four hits, and their winning run in the last inning.

A home run by winning hurler Rickard paced the Lions to a 13-9 verdict over the Cubs in Kat play. The Bobcats rallied for three tallies in the top of the sixth to edge the Leopards 9-8. Dave Meyer homered for the Leopards. Line scores:

R H
Musials 001 001-2 3
Aarons 010 000-1 2
Bracey and Feasel; Stevens and Burkhardt.

R H
Kalines 000 00-0 3
Mantles 000 01-1 4
Feasel and Drake; Gray and Braun.

R H
Lions 140 404-13 12
Cubs 211 311-9 5
Rickard and Magsamen; Martin, Inskip, Martin and O'Shaughnessey, Inskip.

R H
Bobcats 000 423-9 7
Leopards 006 110-8 10
Kohne, Lehman and Bracey; Birch, Ogg, Meyer and Meyer; Birch.

International League

Northern Division
W. L. Pct. G.B.
Rochester 60 53 .531 -
Syracuse 60 54 .526 1/2
Buffalo 57 65 .504 3
Toronto 54 59 .478 6
Richmond 50 61 .450 9

Southern Division
W. L. Pct. G.B.
Indianapolis 66 45 .595 -
Arkansas 62 53 .539 6
Atlanta 58 53 .523 8
Columbus 55 56 .495 11
Jacksonville 40 72 .357 26 1/2

Wednesday's Results
Syracuse 6, Jacksonville 3.
Rochester 5, Atlanta 4.
Toronto 14, Arkansas 2.
Indianapolis 9-7, Buffalo 3-6.
Richmond 1-6, Columbus 0-8.

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Dodgers Beat Mets, Add To League Margin

By JOE SARGIS
UPI Sports Writer

The Los Angeles Dodgers were back in the "cat bird seat" to day because the bubble burst for the San Francisco Giants and poor Roger Craig can't win for losing.

The Dodgers made the most of six hits Wednesday night to beat Craig and the New York Mets, 5-3, while the Philadelphia Phillies snapped the Giants' nine-game winning streak with a 14-inning 7-3 victory.

It was Craig's 17th straight defeat — one short of the National League record set by Clifton Currie of the old Boston Braves in 1910.

A walk, a single by Ron Fairly, a triple by John Roseboro and a sacrifice fly by Willie Davis plus a wild pitch by Craig scored two more in the fourth inning. That proved more than enough as Pete Richert, Ken Rowe and Ron Perranoski held the Mets off to nail down the victory.

Combined with the Giants' loss to the Phils, it restored the Dodgers' first-place lead to 4 1/2 games.

Marichal Knocked Out

Juan Marichal was cruising along with a 3-0 lead when the Phils scored a run in the eighth and then chased him with two more in the ninth.

In the 14th the roof fell in for the Giants. Bob Oldis led off with a single off reliever Bob Bolin and Don Hoak rested first when Ed Bailey was charged with obstruction on a sacrifice bunt. Earl Averill grounded to Bolin who threw wildly past third, permitting two runs to score and then Johnny Callison unloaded a two-run homer to wrap it up.

The third-place Cardinals also lost ground, slipping to five games off the pace, when they dropped a 9-2 decision to the Cincinnati Reds. In the other NL games, the Pittsburgh Pirates beat the Houston Colts, 6-3, and the Chicago Cubs nipped the Milwaukee Braves, 3-2.

In the American League, the New York Yankees beat the Kansas City A's, 3-2, the Minnesota Twins downed the Boston Red Sox, 9-5, the Chicago White Sox subdued the Washington Senators, 5-2, the Baltimore Orioles nipped the Detroit Tigers, 2-1, and the Cleveland Indians swept the Los Angeles Angels, 1-0 and 9-5.

O'Toole Won 14th

Jim O'Toole spaced seven hits in gaining his 14th victory against nine defeats. The Reds made it easy for him to snap a personal six-game losing streak by opening on Bob Gibson for six runs in the first three innings. Pete Rose, Frank Robinson and Marty Keough each had two RBI's for Cincinnati.

Pinch hitter Manny Mota's two-run single capped a four-run seventh inning rally that enabled the Pirates to come from behind and beat the Colts. Bob Friend, with help from ElRoy Face, gained his 12th victory against nine losses for Pittsburgh. Reliever Hal Woodeshick (8-6) took the loss.

Ron Santo drove in three runs with a third-inning home run and a ninth-inning sacrifice fly to account for all the Cubs' runs. Lindy McDaniel, enabled reliever Lindy McDaniel to pick up his seventh victory and saddled Bob Shaw, the last of five Milwaukee pitchers, with his eighth loss.

Steiners, Rashes In Turney Final

The Steiners and the Rashes will battle at 9 o'clock Friday morning in the championship game of the Northwest Kitty league tourney, following victories scored this morning.

The Steiners eliminated the Affiders, 14-11, and the Rashes shut out the Steury's, 2-0.

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Chicago	59 46 .562 8
Baltimore	60 49 .550 9
Minnesota	57 49 .538 10 1/2
Boston	53 59 .510 13 1/2
Cleveland	53 55 .491 15 1/2
Los Angeles	53 58 .477 17
Kansas City	48 57 .457 19
Detroit	43 59 .422 22
Washington	37 68 .352 30

Wednesday's Results

New York	3	Kansas City	2
Minnesota	9	5	1
Baltimore	2	1	0
Chicago	5	2	1
Cleveland	1	0	0
Los Angeles	0	0	0
Kansas City	0	0	0
Detroit	0	0	0
Washington	0	0	0

Wednesday's Results

Philadelphia	7	San Francisco	3
Chicago	14	13	12
Atlanta	11	10	9
Baltimore	10	9	8
Minnesota	9	8	7
Cleveland	8	7	6
Los Angeles	7	6	5
Kansas City	6	5	4
Detroit	5	4	3
Washington	4	3	2

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